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Serial No.: 10/623,382

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AMENDMENT

In response to the First Official Action mailed November 30, 2004, please enter the claim amendments shown in the attached Amendment Dated March 28, 2005. No claims have been added and no fee is due for this Amendment.

Applicant has canceled the claim language in claim 9 referring to an "analog amplifier" in response to the "Drawing" section of the Official Action. In addition, a new Form 1449 indicating the date of the undated document CF (Accatino) is submitted with this Response in reply to the "Information Disclosure Statement" section of the Office Action. The publication date of this reference is 25 September, 2001.

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